Data Sheet

USAID Mission: Legislative & Public Affairs **Program Title:** Global Awareness of US Economic Assistance Pillar:

Economic Growth, Agriculture and Trade

Strategic Objective: 025-001 Status: Continuing Planned FY 2006 Obligation: \$1,798,000 DA **Prior Year Unobligated:** \$1,000 DA Proposed FY 2007 Obligation: \$1,816,000 DA

Year of Initial Obligation: 2004 **Estimated Year of Final Obligation:** 2011

Summary: Support USAID's development and humanitarian assistance activities through programs designed to collect, organize, summarize and disseminate USAID program experiences and results to key audiences worldwide. Increase awareness of the breadth of U.S. foreign assistance and help facilitate widespread public discussion, analysis and review. Expand public awareness of the political, economic, technical and social factors relating to the need for continued U.S. engagement and support in the developing world.

Inputs, Outputs, Activities: FY 2006 Program: Program Support (\$1,798,000 DA): USAID, through its Development Education program (under section 316 of the International Security and Development Cooperation Act of 1980) informs and educates the American public about issues relating to overseas economic and social development to increase domestic understanding of U.S. Government assistance programs overseas. USAID is also providing support and training overseas to its missions for efforts geared toward expanding and strengthening host country awareness of U.S. foreign assistance activities. Principal contractors and grantees for both initiatives include the Academy for Educational Development and the International Resources Group (IRG).

FY 2007 Program: Program Support (\$1,816,000 DA): USAID will continue to finance activities to collect, organize, summarize and disseminate USAID program experiences and results to better communicate the message about America's foreign assistance program to the world. Specifically, USAID will fund: Efforts aimed at expanding and strengthening host country awareness of U.S. assistance: Activities directed at increasing the understanding overseas of the importance, impact and breadth of U.S. assistance in host countries, especially in selected countries and in key sectors such as economic growth, education, health (in particular, HIV/AIDS and child survival), democracy and good governance. (These activities will further the objectives of section 641 of the Foreign Assistance Act, as amended, concerning marking and identifying American assistance.)

Projects geared toward informing and educating the American public about issues relating to overseas economic and social development to increase domestic understanding of the importance of U.S. Government overseas assistance programs and why they are in the interest of the United States. Information dissemination campaigns, and development education programs for the purposes of broadening exposure to, and enhanced understanding of, the mission and goals of U.S. assistance and successful assistance activities. (These activities will further the objectives of section 316 of the International Security and Development Cooperation Act of 1980.) Principal grantee is the Academy for Educational Development.

Performance and Results: Performance and Results: The principal outcomes of this objective will be:

- To enhance exposure and understanding of Agency information and successes by development practitioners
- To expand host country knowledge of U.S. development and humanitarian assistance efforts;
- To contribute to the goals of the National Security Strategy by increasing public awareness and understanding of the purposes and importance of U.S. assistance provided to developing countries; and
- To increase awareness of the importance of international development among the U.S. public.

US Financing in Thousands of Dollars

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025-001 Global Awareness of US Economic Assistance	сѕн	DA
Through September 30, 2004		
Obligations	0	1,739
Expenditures	0	1,739
Unliquidated	0	0
Fiscal Year 2005		
Obligations	7	2,186
Expenditures	7	2,186
Through September 30, 2005		
Obligations	7	3,925
Expenditures	7	3,925
Unliquidated	0	0
Prior Year Unobligated Funds		
Obligations	0	1
Planned Fiscal Year 2006 NOA		
Obligations	0	1,798
Total Planned Fiscal Year 2006		
Obligations	0	1,799
Proposed Fiscal Year 2007 NOA		
Obligations	0	1,816
Future Obligations	0	7,000
Est. Total Cost	7	14,540